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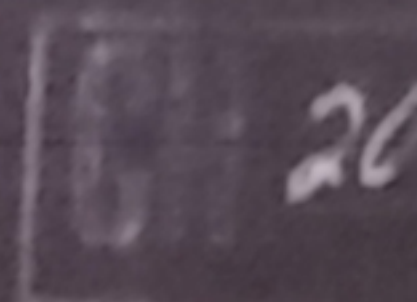
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Form BG 126 PROG. TEST AUTH. 12-26-62 BEGUN 1-3-63
June 1964

NON-COMM. EDUCATIONAL TV

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

NDEA



Date first licensed 12-9-63 (Off. No. 64)

Call letters WOUB-TV

Station location ATHENS, OHIO

Name of licensee OHIO UNIVERSITY

Transmitter location 2 miles WSW of Athens, Near Athens, Ohio

9-11 SOUTH COLLEGE STREET, ATHENS, OHIO (BLET-77 12-9-63)
Main studio location X 11 South College Street, Athens, Ohio

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	ERP Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BPET-112	7-27-62	CH #20	Vib. 12.3 kw	U	7-27-62
AH: 810' MSL: 1666'		500-512	Aur. 6.2 kw		3-27-63
Construction Permit for a New Non-Comm. ED TV B/C Station.					
WIRE	12-26-62	RE LIC. APPL., AUTH. GR. OPERATE			
STATION WOUB-TV ON PROGRAM TESTS ACCORD. 3.629 RULES & CP					
BPET-112, ADVISE.					
WIRE	12-26-62	RE LIC. APPL. AUTH. GR. OPERA. WOUB-TV			
ON PROGRAM TESTS ACCORD. 3.629 RULES & CP BPET-112. ADVISE					
LETTER	1-7-63	BEGAN 7 pm EST on 1-3-63			
BPET-156	10-8-63	CH. 20	V-195 kw	U	12-8-63
AH: 810' MSL: 1666'		502-512 A-	98.5 kw		6-8-64
Construction Permit to change ERP, type of trans.					
BIET-77	12-9-63	CH. 20	V-12.3 kw	U	12-9-63
AH: 810' MSL: 1666'		500-512 A-	6.2 kw		10-1-64
LICENSE to cover CP (BPET-112, which auth. a new station & redetermine studio location.					
EMPET-306	6-23-64	Same	Same	Same	12-8-63
Mod. of CH (BPET-156) to ext. comp. date					12-23-64
BRET-64	9-18-64	same	same	same	10-1-64
RENEWAL OF LICENSE					10-1-67
WIRE	1-13-65	REURLET 11. PEND. FIL. LIC. APPL.,			
AUTH. GR. OPER. WOUB-TV TEMP. PERIOD END 2-13-65 ACCORD.					
CP BMPET-338. ADV. WHEN OPER. COMMENCES UNDER THIS AUTH.					
OPERATIONS BEGAN 1-14-65					
WIRE	2-5-65	PENDING FILING LICENSE APPLICATION,			
EXTENSION AUTHORITY GRANTED OPERATE WOUB-TV TEMPORARILY					
PERIOD ENDING 3-13-65 ACCORDANCE CP BMPET-338.					
BPET-156	10-8-63	CH. 20	V. 195 kw	U	12-8-63
AH: 810' MSL: 1666'		500-512 A-	98.5 kw		6-8-64
LETTER 2-10-65 SUPERSEDED AUTH. TO CORRECT TRANS. POWER					
BMPET-338	1-5-65	same	same	same	12-8-63
Mod. CP (BPET-156, as mod) to extend compl. date					6-8-65
WIRE	2-26-65	RE TENDERED LIC. APPL., AUTH. GR.			
OPER. WOUB-TV ON PROGRAM TEST ACCORD. SEC. 73.629 RULES					
AND CP BMPET-338.					

Form BC 126
June 1954

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed

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Station location

Name of licensee OHIO UNIVERSITY

SEE CARD #1

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Dtv.	Period From To
BLST-114 S	6-12-67	Ch. 20	V-195	W	6-12-67
BNLET-29		508-512 mc	A-38.9		10-1-67
Alt: 810' MSL: 1665'					
Lic. to cov. CP (BPET-156) and modified to reduce Aural ERP					
BLST-114 S	10-27-67	same	same	same	10-27-67
BNLET-29					10-1-70
RENEWAL OF LICENSE					
LETTER BY COMMISSION 2-5-68 GRANTED WAIVER OF SEC.					
73.651 (c) FOR PERIOD ENDING OCTOBER 1, 1970 RE IN-SCHOOL					
PROGRAMMING.					
LTR.	9-23-70	Re school in-programming			
BRET-64	9-30-70	same	same	same	10-1-73
RENEWAL OF LICENSE (S)					
NDEA ISSUED EFFECTIVE 10-1-70					
ERSA	5-15-72				
BRET-64	9-27-73	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (L)			10-1-73
					10-1-76
Ltr	10-1-73	Sect. 73.651(c) waived per. end 10-1-76			
BPET-498	8-30-74	Ch. 20	V. 479 kW		10-30-74
Alt: 810' MSL: 1665'		506-512	A. 95.5 kW		2-29-76
CP to chg ERP and trans.					
/WIRE	11-13-74	Re tendered lic. appl., auth. grtd. oper. WOUB-TV on program test accordance Sect. 73.629 rules and CP BPET-498.			
BLST-370	12-20-74	Lic (BPET-498) for chgs.			10-1-76
BRET-64	12-13-76	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (S)			10-1-79
BRET-79053	9-21-79	Renewal Of License (S)			10-1-82

FORM BC-121
Aug. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Non-Commercial Educational
TV

Call
Letters ~~WCUV-TV~~ WCUV-TV

Name OHIO UNIVERSITY
c/o Vincent Jukes, Director of Radio & Television, Athens, Ohio

File No.	Date	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPET-112 Rec. & filed	4-9-62	Construction permit for a new Non-Commercial Educational Television B/C Station: Freq: Ch. 20, 506-512 Mcs ERP: Vis. 12.6 kw Aur. 6.3 kw Hours of Operation: Unlimited S-L: 11 South College St., Athens, Ohio T-L: Approx. 0.5 mi. S. of Athens, Ohio (Vis. & Aural - GE TT-20-A AH: 860 feet STATION LOCATION: Athens, Ohio Stanley S. Neustadt, Atty. Jansky & Bailey, Engr.	GRANTED	7-27-62
	4-10-62		BUREAU ACTION: NEW DELEGATED AUTHORITY	
AMENDED R & F	7-5-62	Amended to change ERP to Vis. 12.2 kw, Aur. 6.1 kw; change transmitter location to Approx. 2. miles West-Southwest of Athens, Ohio; make changes in antenna structure and change antenna height above average terrain to 814 feet. Cohn & Marks -atty		
	7-9-62			

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Aug. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

NON COMM. EDUCATIONAL TV

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Letters WOUB-TV

Name OHIO UNIVERSITY
Athens, Ohio

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BLT-77 R & F	12-21-62 12-26-62	License to cover CP (BP T-112, which authorized a new Non Commercial Educational TV station and redescribe studio location as 9-11 South College Street, Athens, Ohio	GRANTED	12-9-63
BPET-156 Recd. & Filed	8-19-63 8-26-63	Construction Permit to change ERP from Vis. 12.3 kw, Aur. 6.2 kw; to Vis. 197 kw, Aur. 98.5 kw; change type of transmitter to GE TT-56A and changes in transmission line and equipment. Stanley S. Neustadt, Atty. (Cohn & Marks) Janksy & Bailey, Engrs.	GRANTED Subject compliance with Section 3.640 of the Rules.	10-8-63

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Name OHIO UNIVERSITY
ATHENS, OHIO

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPET-306 Recd.&Filed	5-27-64 6-1-64	Mod. of CP (BPET-156 which authorized changes in existing station) to extend completion date from 6-8-64 to 12-8-64 Stanley S. Neustadt, Atty.	GRANTED	6-23-64
BRET-64 Recd.&Filed	6-30-64 6-30-64	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	9-18-64
BMPET-338 Recd.&Filed	12-14-64 12-16-64	Mod. of CP (BPET-156, as mod. which authorized changes in existing station) to extend completion date from 12-23-64 to 6-8-65. Stanley S. Neustadt, Atty. (COHN & MARKS)	GRANTED	1-5-65
BLET-114 Recd.&Filed	2-18-65 2-25-65	License to cover CP (BPET-156, as mod.) which authorized changes in existing station. Martin J. Gaynes, Atty. (COHN & MARKS)	GRANTED	6-12-67 b issued with BLET-29

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Aug. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

NON-COMM. ED. TV

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Name OHIO UNIVERSITY
CH. 20 ATHENS, OHIO

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMLET-29 Recd. & Filed	8-19-65 8-26-65	Mod. of License to reduce Aural ERP from 98.5 kw to 39 kw. (Contingent on the Grant of BLET-114) Cohn and Marks, Atty.	GRANTED Issued with BLET-114	3-7-67
NEW application to Research & Ed. 6-7-66				
BRET-64 R & F	6-13-67 6-20-67	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Martin J. Gaynes, Atty.	GRANTED	10-27-67
BRET-64 R & F Press PN RECD.	6-22-70 6-30-70 JUL 8 1970 6-30-70	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Atty: Martin J. Gaynes (Cohn and Marks)	GRANTED	9-30-70
ENGR. DATA FILED 6-30-70				
Ltr. 7-3-73 request extension of waiver of Section 73.651(c)				

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September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters WOUB-TVName OHIO UNIVERSITY
CHZO ATHENS, OHIO

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRET-64 R & F PN Recd. PRESS: 19 1973	6-8-73 6-27-73	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Cohn & Marks, atty.	GRANTED	9-27-73
BRET-498 R & F no fee required PRESS: 1 1974	6-4-74 6-6-74	CP to chg. Erp to Vis. 475 kw. Aur. 95 kw and type trans. to 6E-TT-57. Atty: Martin J. Gaynes (Cohn & Marks) AMENDED 7-26-74 re engineering; correct type trans. to GE TT-57-A.	GRANTED	8-30-74

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

COMMERCIAL TELEVISION

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Letters

WOUB-TV

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Name **OHIO UNIVERISTY**

CH-20

Athens, Ohio


File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BLET-370 R & F no fee required PRESS	10-28-74 11-5-74 DEC 10 1974	License to cover (BPET-498) for changes. Atty: Martin J. Gaynes (Cohn and Marks)	GRANTED	12-20-74
BRET-64 R&F PN RECD PRESS	5-18-76 5-26-76 5-26-76 14 JUL 1976	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Atty.: (Cohn and Marks) <u>Martin J. Gaynes</u> Request for Waiver of Section 73.651(c) of the Rules. Contours filed 10-14-76	GRANTED	12-13-76
BRET 790530KH R & F PN REC'D PRESS	5-10-79 5-30-79 5-30-79 79 0604	RENEWAL OF LICENSE ATTY: WYANE COY {COHN AND MARKS}	GRANTED	9-21-79

NONCOMMERCIAL EDUCATIONAL TV
APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

Call Letters: WOUB-TV

Name: OHIO UNIVERSITY
CH-20

Station Location: ATHENS, OH

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BPET-791226KE R & F PRESS:	12-21-79 12-26-79 1-22-80	CP to chg. ERP to Vis. 1076kW, Aur. 107.6kW; chg. type trans. to Harris BT-55U1; and type ant. to Harris TAZ-24U. Atty.: Stanley S. Neustadt (Cohn and Marks)	GRANTED 5-30-80
BNLET -810129KE		Modification of lic. to reduce aural ERP to 47.9kW.	

About the History Cards ...

History Cards were first used by the Department of Commerce to keep track of applications filed by, and changes to, the earliest AM broadcast radio stations in the early 1920s. The records were subsequently transferred to the Federal Radio Commission in 1927, and after that to the Federal Communications Commission when that agency was created in 1934. These cards gradually grew into a large card file.

TV History Cards were initiated in the early 1940s, with the authorization of the earliest TV stations. History Cards remained in use until the creation of the first computerized database in 1980 to track broadcast applications, the Broadcast Application Processing System (BAPS). However, the Commission did not transfer the data from the History Cards to the new system. Instead, it retained the History Cards in their original form for reference.

In 1999, the Commission moved to a new location (445 12th Street SW), and also at that time created the successor database to BAPS, the Consolidated DataBase System (CDBS). Prior to that move, the History Cards were transferred to microfiche by a contractor (only a few sets of microfiche exist), and the original paper cards were destroyed. The History Cards were stored on the microfiche as negative images, like those you see above.

History Cards contain very brief entries and notes about station facilities, applications, and ownership. They are not, and never were intended to be, a comprehensive record of a station's operations. Nevertheless, they can be useful to help determine, for example, when a station first went on the air and its call letters at that time. History Card comments were generally typed onto the cards, and thus some records will show more faintly or with more smudging than others, depending on the quality of typewriter and ribbon then used. Occasional handwritten comments, corrections, and strikeouts may also be found. Cards may be incomplete, missing, or occasionally out of sequence.

The History Cards are presented here as they were copied to microfiche, to preserve this record for public use, and with the hope that they will be of value to future researchers of television station history.

